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Ken Takeuchi et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2818
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For: Nonvolatile Semiconductor Memory)	Atty. Dkt. No. 001701.00140
Having Plural Data Storage Portions)	
For A Bit Line Connected To Memory)	
Cells)	

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants request a one month extension of time for the present application. The Commissioner is authorized to debit our deposit account no. 19-0733 in the appropriate amount.

RESPONSE

The present paper is responsive to the non- final Office Action dated November 29, 2004. Applicants request entry of the following remarks into the file of the above-identified application. To the extent any fees are required for this paper, please charge such fees to deposit account no. 19-0733.

Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. No amendments have been made.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.